



# CONSULTATIVE COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

Facilitators: Keith Curry/Minodora Moldoveanu Recorder: Paula VanBrown

**Date**: February 28, 2022 **Location:** Zoom

#### Vision

Compton College will be the leading institution of student learning and success in higher education.

#### **Mission Statement**

Compton College is a welcoming and inclusive community where diverse students are supported to pursue and attain student success. Compton College provides solutions to challenges, utilizes the latest techniques for preparing the workforce and provides clear pathways for completion of programs of study, transition to a university, and securing living-wage employment.

Attendees:

Christine Aldrich Colleen Edwards Abdul Nasser
Ibrahim Ali Nicole Jones Heather Parnock
Sheri Berger Amankwa McKinzie Lauren Sosenko

Keith Curry Minodora Moldoveanu

## **MINUTES**

1. Review minutes from January 24, 2022 – Approved

#### 2. President/CEO Items

#### A. COVID-19 Update

Ibrahim Ali reported they had good front gate management with about 100 staff/students to check in and troubleshot. About 400-500 individuals were checked-in and tested, which went quite well. Of that number, only two tested positive for COVID; 1 community member and one student. The testing and cases are going down. The Los Angeles County guidelines are starting to subside and open our campus. Human Resources is working to adjust that and make sure the COVID-19 leave is administered correctly and announcements are made. The COVID-19 leave is a legal requirement approved retroactively to January 1, 2022. All online reporting of positive cases is available to faculty and staff as we no longer use email to report positive cases of COVID-19. Go to the My Compton website and click on the button for positive COVID-19 reporting. Cases are going down.

Dr. Curry reported that he is working on a timeline for opening the campus. He would like to extend the campus on *April 18*, *2022*. This will be done in phases, following Los Angeles County guidelines. Dr. Curry said he is concerned about handling students who come on campus for a class – how do we verify they are vaccinated, and how do we take exemptions. This week, these issues will be discussed with the Health, Safety, and Parking Committee at their next meeting on Wednesday.

#### 3. February 28, 2022, Board Agenda Review

Dr. Curry reviewed and discussed the items on the February 28, 2022, Board of Trustees agenda.

## 4. Update on Everytable

Dr. Abdul Nasser reported that free meals from Everytable have been offered to staff and students for the past three weeks. This is going very well, but he feels not enough students are getting the message about the free meals. Dr. Nasser said he would be sending out more messages to students. Dr. Curry asked Dr. Nasser to have David Simmons check to see what students use this opportunity. Dr. Nasser said that it had been done, and about 260 students had gone through it. Dr. Nasser said they are working on the water to ensure the coffee machine is working. Dr. Curry asked Dr. Nasser to estimate when these two items would be effective.

### 5. Campus Committees Update

Dr. Curry said he sent the Campus Committees document out today, and there are a lot of agendas and minutes that have not been posted. We are out of compliance with the Accreditation Commission, so the webpages needed to be updated. If there are any vacancies, forward them to him. If people are not showing up for meetings, contact Dr. Moldoveanu - faculty, Amankwa McKinzie - classified, or Dr. Curry – confidential and managers, as appropriate.

## 6. Thinking Out of the Box

Christine Aldrich recommended using the Student Lounge as a place for students to relax or study or have a cup of coffee before class. Dr. Curry said they could consider opening the student lounge and the patio area to students; that may be a phased-in approach starting on *April 18*, 2022.

Sheri Berger reported furniture and funding had been identified for the Library/Student Success Center, Math/Science building, and Vocational Technology Building. Dr. Nasser said he would follow up on this item and report this to Dr. Curry.

#### 7. Other Items

None

## 8. Future Agenda Items

- A. Facilities Update
- B. 2021-2022 Consultative Council Goals
- C. Civility Statement

The next Consultative Council meeting is scheduled for Monday, March 7, 2022, at 2:00 p.m. via Zoom Meeting